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which are thoroughly cleansed by washing in boiling water after use by each individual, nor shall it be held to preclude the use of sanitary devices for individual use only.

SEC. 2. Common carriers shall not provide in cars, vehicles, vessels, or conveyances operated in intrastate traffic, or in depots, waiting rooms, or other places used by passengers, any towel for use by more than one person: *Provided*, That towels may be used again after having been sterilized with boiling water.

Drinking Water and Ice—Provided by Common Carriers—Regulations Governing. (Reg. Bd. of H., July 3, 1913.)

Water provided by common carriers on cars, vessels, or vehicles operated in intrastate traffic for the use of passengers, shall be furnished under the following conditions:

- (a) Water shall be certified by the State or municipal health authority within whose jurisdiction it is obtained as incapable of conveying disease: *Provided*, That water in regard to the safety of which a reasonable doubt exists may be used if the same has been treated in such manner as to render it incapable of conveying disease and the fact of such treatment is certified by the aforesaid health officer.
- (b) Ice used for cooling such water shall be from a source the safety of which is certified by the State or municipal health authority within whose jurisdiction it is obtained, and before the ice is placed in the water it shall first be carefully washed with water of known safety and handled in such a manner as to prevent its becoming contaminated by the organisms of infectious or contagious diseases: *Provided*, That the foregoing shall not apply to ice which does not come in contact with the water which is to be cooled.
- (c) Water containers shall be cleansed and thoroughly scalded with live steam at least once in each week that they are in operation.

Leprosy—Transportation of Persons Afflicted with, Prohibited—Disinfection. (Reg. Bd. of H., July 3, 1913.)

- Section 1. Common carriers shall not accept for transportation nor transport in intrastate traffic any person suffering from or afflicted with leprosy, unless there has been obtained from the Surgeon General of the Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service or his accredited representative, a permit stating that said person may be received under such restrictions as will prevent the spread of the disease, and said restrictions shall be specified in each instance.
- SEC. 2. No person knowing or having reason to believe that he is a leper shall accept transportation nor engage in travel in intrastate traffic unless permits have been obtained, as set forth in the preceding section, and unless said person shall have agreed in writing to comply with the restrictions as specified in the permits mentioned above.
- SEC. 3. Compartments or places in cars, vessels, or conveyances operated in intrastate traffic and that have been occupied by persons afflicted with leprosy shall be immediately closed after being vacated by the patient and so kept until after proper disinfection.

Bodies—Transportation of Dead—Communicable Diseases. (Reg. Bd. of H., July 3, 1913.)

- Rule 1. The transportation of bodies dead of smallpox or bubonic plague through the State is absolutely prohibited.
- RULE 2. The transportation of bodies dead of Asiatic cholera, yellow fever, typhus fever, diphtheria (membranous croup), scarlet fever (scarlatina, scarlet rash), erysipelas, glanders, anthrax, or leprosy shall not be accepted for transportation unless prepared for shipment by being thoroughly disinfected by (a) arterial and cavity